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REMARKS

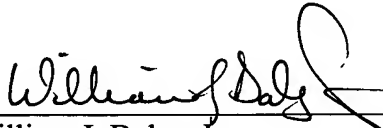
In the Notice to Non-Compliant Amendment, Applicant was advised that the drawing amendments were non-compliant because a replacement sheet legend was not provided in the top margin of each sheet. In response to the Notice, the within Response includes a corrected section of the previously provided non-compliant amendment to the drawing figures (*i.e.*, the entire Amendment to Drawing Figure section). Applicant respectfully submits that the within sheets of drawing figures resolve the identified concern, and thus entry of the within amendment is again respectfully requested. It is further noted that the addition of the legend "replacement sheet" on each sheet of the submitted drawing figures does not introduce new matter.

It is respectfully submitted that the subject application is in a condition for allowance. Early and favorable action is requested.

Applicant believes that additional fees are not required for consideration of the within Response. However, if for any reason a fee is required, a fee paid is inadequate or credit is owed for any excess fee paid, the Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge Deposit Account No. 04-1105.

Respectfully submitted,
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